

**VILLAGE OF EVERGREEN PARK  
INTERDEPARTMENTAL MEMORANDUM**

To: Officer Thomas Lehnhardt star #110

Date: July 28, 2016

From: Michael D. Saunders, Chief of Police

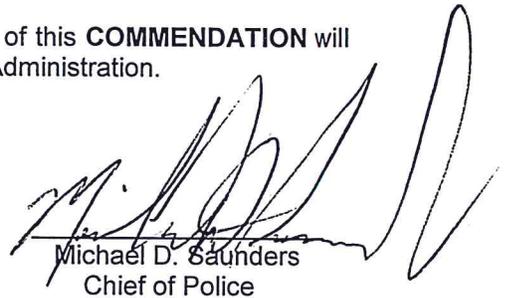
Subject: **COMMENDATION**

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The Evergreen Park Police Department recognizes your **Outstanding Performance of Duty** on July 26, 2016 at 0930hrs. that led to the apprehension of two subjects who had committed a garage burglary at 9236 S. Sacramento Avenue minutes before they were stopped for suspicious activity while driving a pick-up truck on the 8900 block of Kedzie Avenue. Multiple items were recovered and returned to the homeowner who was not aware circumstances until notified by police officers who had located the damage and entry into their garage. Both subjects arrested had fifty-three combined previous arrests for burglary, weapon offenses, larceny, damage to property, sexual assault, dangerous drugs and other offenses. One Felony complaint was authorized against one of the subjects by the Cook County States Attorney's Office and both subjects were charged with one misdemeanor each. The letter from Sergeant Trujillo that recognizes this diligence and great work by Officer Lehnhardt illustrates the effort that all Law Enforcement Professionals commit to on a daily basis, normally and without recognition.

A copy of this **COMMENDATION** and the letter of recognition by Sergeant Daniel Trujillo will be placed in your personnel file and will be referred to in the furtherance of your career. Your dedication to duty and to public safety is well noted in this case.

Please accept my sincere appreciation for a job well done. A copy of this **COMMENDATION** will be forwarded to Mayor James Sexton and members of the Village Administration.

  
Michael D. Saunders  
Chief of Police

cc: Mayor J. Sexton  
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Sgt. Trujillo

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